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### **FIRST QUARTER MILK PRODUCTION**

**WEST VIRGINIA** – Milk production in West Virginia totaled 48 million pounds during the January - March quarter of 2005. This was down 2 million pounds from the same quarter last year and unchanged from the October - December 2004 quarter. The number of dairy cows averaged 13,000 head, unchanged from the previous quarter and the same quarter last year.

**UNITED STATES** – Milk production in the U.S. during the January - March quarter totaled 43.2 billion pounds, up 1.1 percent from the January - March quarter last year. The average number of milk cows in the U.S. during the quarter was 9.00 million head, 2,000 head more than the same period last year.